

the week of February 20.

PRESIDENT: Senator Savage is not in the Chamber so we will proceed with Select File. There is an omission on your agenda. It should read one hour only. So we will now commence Select File with LB 327.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 327. The E & M amendments have been adopted. They were adopted yesterday. We now have before us an amendment offered by Senator Murphy and Senator Murphy has been excused today.

PRESIDENT: Has Senator Murphy asked anyone to handle this matter for him. All right. Senator Savage, are you prepared to take up your report?

SENATOR SAVAGE: Yes.

PRESIDENT: All right. We will now have the report on the Committee on Committees. The Chair recognizes Senator Savage.

SENATOR SAVAGE: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, we have three sessions of the Committee on Committees that we have held up because of the political accountability statements that we didn't know clearly whether some of the appointments by the Governor were required to give us those statements and we sent them over to that office for clarification and we now have the reports dating back to our first meeting. Do you want to take them up individually?

PRESIDENT: We usually have done that, Senator Savage.

SENATOR SAVAGE: I thought that we did it by meetings, that's what we have been doing.

PRESIDENT: You have three separate recommendations?

SENATOR SAVAGE: Yes.

PRESIDENT: It is just about as easily to take them separately if there are only three.

SENATOR SAVAGE: The Committee on Committees desires to report favorably upon the appointments listed below which were submitted by Governor J. James Exon. The committee suggests that the appointments be confirmed by the legislative body and suggests a record vote. Mr. W. D. Nowberry to the State Highway Commission, Mr. Joseph Lipton to the State Highway Commission, Mr. David Flebbe to the State Personnel Board, Mrs. Shirley Meckel to the Game and Parks Commission, Mrs. David (Breta) Dow to the Nebraska Arts Council and Barbara Doyle to the Nebraska Arts Council. The committee vote was unanimous and none against. I move that these appointments be acknowledged.

PRESIDENT: Now, that is one report, is it?

SENATOR SAVAGE: One report.

PRESIDENT: All right. Is there objection, does any member wish to consider any of these nominees individually? Then the question is the adoption of the resolution. Record your vote. Have you all voted? Record.